

PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:

O. FAMODU ET AL.

CASE NO.: BB1270

APPLICATION NO.: 09/831,683

GROUP ART UNIT: UNKNOWN

INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE: 09 NOV 99 EXAMINER: UNKNOWN

FOR: PLANT AMINOACYL-tRNA SYNTHETASES

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF  
MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Box PCT  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to a Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 dated  
13 June 2001, please amend the application as follows.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

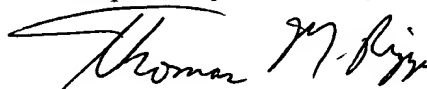
Please replace the originally filed Sequence Listing with the attached substitute  
Sequence Listing.

**REMARKS**

Please charge any necessary fee to Deposit Account 04-1928 E. I. du Pont de Nemours  
and Company).

In view of the foregoing, allowance of the above-referenced application is respectfully  
requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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